Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, The South Dakota Association of Healthcare Organizations (SDAHO) was founded 90 years ago in 1926 by hospital administrators and physicians to improve services, conserve purchasing, improve public relations, and provide access to care for those who needed it; and,

Whereas, SDAHO provides a range of health care services allowing patients, residents, and communities in South Dakota to reach their highest potential of health and wellness; and,

Whereas, SDAHO continues the important tradition of sustaining and enhancing community-focused models of health care delivery through member services including advocacy, education, health integration, safety, quality, workforce, communication, and data services; and,

Whereas, SDAHO, in observance of its 90th anniversary, remains committed to strengthening the health care continuum; and,

Whereas, The members of the South Dakota Association of Healthcare Organizations are the unified voice of health care representing hospitals, health systems, and post-acute providers in South Dakota:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 21, 2016, as

SOUTH DAKOTA ASSOCIATION OF HEALTHCARE ORGANIZATIONS DAY

in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixth Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State